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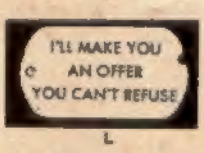

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POWER TO THE PEOPLE!
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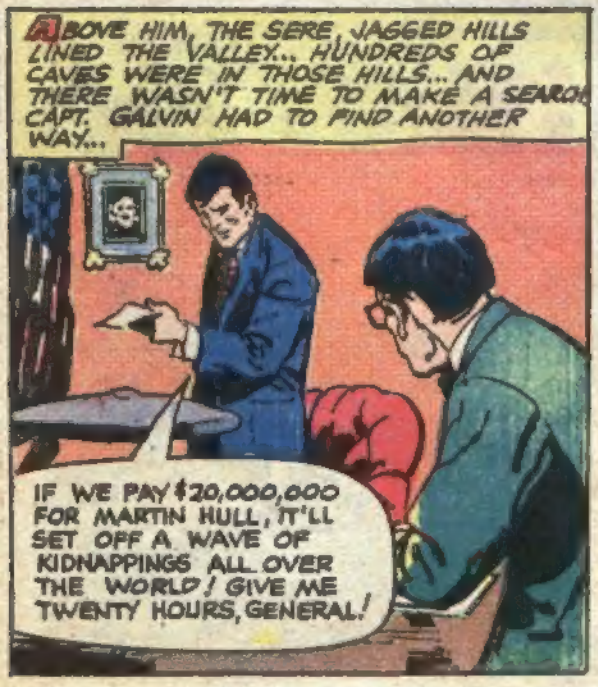
THERE WAS LITTLE MONEY, JEFE, BUT WE PUNISHED THEM FOR IT!
BAH! THE INFORMER SAID THERE'D BE A QUARTER OF A MILLION!
NEXT TIME THEY'D BETTER HAVE MORE MONEY FOR US!
SO THAT WAS THE GREAT LUTREK! I HEARD THAT THE PEOPLE SUPPORTED HIM, OFFICER.
BUT, NO, CAPTAIN GALVIN! THEY KNOW HE IS A MURDERER... THEY DO NOT INFORM ON HIM BECAUSE HE WILL KILL ANYONE WHO DOES!
CAPT. GEORGE GALVIN, MILITARY AIDE TO AMBASSADOR MARTIN HULL, REPORTED THE INCIDENT TO HIS BOSS...
...AND LUTREK IS A VICIOUS KILLER! THE PEOPLE ARE AFRAID TO OPPOSE HIM!
I'LL ADVISE PRESIDENT ALBA TO USE ALL NECESSARY FORCE TO WIPE THEM OUT, CAPTAIN.
IN A BIG CAVE IN THE HILLS, LUTREK BROODED...
WE GOT A LITTLE MONEY BUT NOT ENOUGH! AND THERE WAS LITTLE IN THE NEWSPAPERS!
WE WILL KIDNAP THE U.S. AMBASSADOR!

LUTREK PERSONALLY LED THE KIDNAPPERS... HE WRENCHED OPEN THE AMBASSADOR'S DOOR WHILE HIS MEN MURDERED DEFENSELESS VILLAGERS WITH THEIR SOPHISTICATED WEAPONS!
OUT, MR. HULL... OR I WILL EXECUTE YOU RIGHT HERE!
I'LL GO WITH YOU, LUTREK... BUT STOP THOSE FOOLS FROM KILLING INNOCENT PEOPLE!
YOU GIVE NO ORDERS, FOOL! I AM IN COMMAND!
HURRY, JEFE!
I HEARD SHOOTING... THEY'VE GOT AMBASSADOR HULL!
I'LL TAIL THEM RIGHT TO THEIR HIDE-OUT!
BLAST THIS IDIOT! IF HE STOPPED ME JUST TO GET A RIDE...

CAPTAIN GALVIN. WE HAVE AMBASSADOR HULL. UNLESS $20,000,000 IN GERMAN MARKS, ENGLISH POUNDS, AND FRENCH FRANCS IS PAID WITHIN 24 HOURS, THE AMBASSADOR WILL BE RETURNED TO THE EMBASSY... DEAD.
SIGNED, LUTREK.


ABOVE HIM, THE SERE, JAGGED HILLS LINED THE VALLEY... HUNDREDS OF CAVES WERE IN THOSE HILLS... AND THERE WASN'T TIME TO MAKE A SEARCH. CAPT. GALVIN HAD TO FIND ANOTHER WAY...
IF WE PAY $20,000,000 FOR MARTIN HULL, IT'LL SET OFF A WAVE OF KIDNAPPINGS ALL OVER THE WORLD! GIVE ME TWENTY HOURS, GENERAL!

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WHAT ABOUT THAT HILL, CAPTAIN? IT HAS GRASS... IN FACT, IT LOOKS LIKE EXCELLENT PASTURAGE.
IT'S THE ONLY LAND UP THIS VALLEY NOT BEING USED TO GRAZE SHEEP... THERE HAS TO BE A REASON!
PILOT... LAND ON THAT ROCKY KNOLL.

SERGEANT, START UP THE HUAGIG VALLEY. WATCH FOR SIGNALS FROM HILL 14 ON THE RIGHT OF THE ROAD.
WE'RE ON OUR WAY, CAPTAIN!

GALVIN IS ALONE... HE'S GOING TO TRY TO REACH THE AMBASSADOR BEFORE WE GET THERE. KEEP LISTENING ON THE COMMAND CHANNEL!

WHILE THE DETAIL ROARED UP THE VALLEY, CAPT GALVIN SCANNED THE SLOPE WITH POWERFUL BINOCULARS. HE QUICKLY SPOTTED WHAT HE SOUGHT... TIRE TRACKS ACROSS THE SUN-SEARED GRASSES.
THE CAVE IS GUARDED... THERE MAY BE ANOTHER SENTRY RIGHT INSIDE! I WONDER IF THERE'S ANOTHER ENTRANCE TO THE CAVE?

THEY'RE COOKING DOWN THERE... IF THIS FISSURE IS WIDE ENOUGH, I MAY BE ABLE TO GET INSIDE!

I HEAR VOICES...
AT LEAST HE'S ALIVE...
IN SECONDS, AMBASSADOR HULL WAS FREED ... CAPT. GALVIN HANDED MARTIN HULL, WHO ONCE WAS A MARINE, A 45 AUTOMATIC... THEN HE LED THE WAY!
LISTEN COMRADES... THE NEWS HAS BEEN BROADCAST ALL OVER THE WORLD, WE ARE FAMOUS... SOON WE SHALL BE MILLIONAIRES!
HOW MUCH IS THAT IN OUR MONEY, JEFE?
AT LEAST A THOUSAND DINARS APIECE! YOU'LL BE RICH MEN!
SARGE, WE'RE ON A CAVE NEAR THE PEAK OF HILL 14... THE ENTRANCE IS ON THE NORTH SLOPE! USE A MORTAR... THROW A FEW SMOKE SHELLS UP THERE!
WILCO, SKIPPER.
CHUUNG
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AN AMERICAN PATROL IS IN THE VALLEY. THEY FIRE MORTAR SHELLS AT US. THEY KNOW WE ARE HERE.
DO NOT PANIC, COMRADES! IF THEY THREATEN US, WE HAVE AMBASSADOR HULL AS HOSTAGE! WE WILL KILL HIM IF...
YOU WON'T KILL ME, LUTREK! DROP YOUR WEAPONS!
KILL THEM!
THE AMBASSADOR PERSONALLY KILLED LUTREK! CAPT. GALVIN FIRED AIMED BURSTS AT THE DOZEN OTHERS INSIDE THE CAVE... HE FIRED LOW...
I DIDN'T WANT TO KILL HIM, CAPTAIN ...BUT HE WAS FIRING AT ME... I HAD TO GET HIM FIRST!
NICE SHOOTING, MR. AMBASSADOR!
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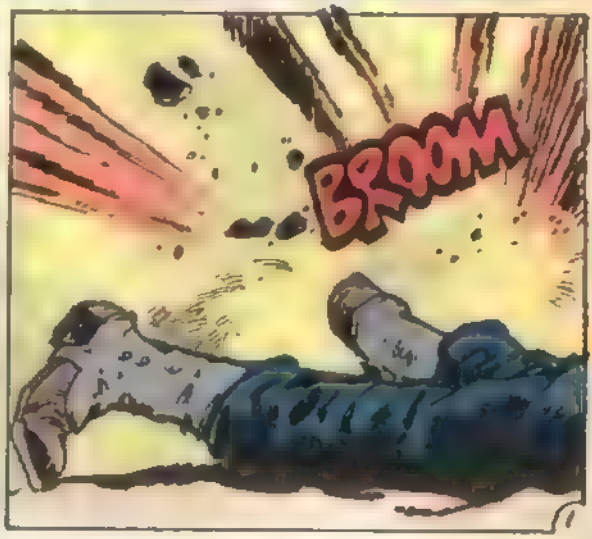
THE WORLD HAD BEEN TOLD OF THE AMBASSADOR'S KIDNAPING... NOW THEY RECEIVED WORD OF THE SWIFT REPRISAL AGAINST THE CRIMINALS!
CAPTAIN GALVIN RESCUED ME, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. HE AND HIS MEN DID THEIR JOB BRAVELY AND MOST EFFICIENTLY.
THANK YOU, MR. AMBASSADOR. I JUST WANT TO SAY THAT THESE KIDNAPPERS WERE TREATED AS ALL SUCH CRIMINALS DESERVE.
END

# BROTHER RAT

EVER SINCE HE WAS DRAFTED IN NOVEMBER, 1949, SAM VITELLO HAD A KNACK FOR GETTING HIS BUTT CHEWED OUT BY OFFICERS! DEEP DOWN, HE WAS CONVINCED THAT THE U.S. ARMY HAD A SECRET METHOD OF PICKING THE BIGGEST JERKS IN THE COUNTRY TO LEAD THE POOR ABUSED G.I.s IN PEACE AND WAR! BY THE TIME HE REACHED KOREA IN SEPTEMBER, 1950, HE WAS SURE OF IT!



THAT KOREAN COMMIE IS... DEAD!
ONE OF THESE DAYS, VITELLO, I'LL HAVE YOU COURT-MARTIALED! YOU CHICKENED OUT WHEN THE COMMIE CAME AT US!
VITELLO AND HIS BUDDIES TALKED ABOUT LT. KANE... WHAT A HEEL HE WAS... AND CAPT. MICHAELS WHO HID UNDER A BLANKET WHEN THE GUNS BEGAN TO FIRE!
...SO THE PLATOON LEADER NEVER FIRED A SHOT BUT HE SAID HE'D HAVE ME COURT-MARTIALED FOR COWARDICE!
ALL OFFICERS ARE CREEPS, SAM, YOU KNOW THAT!
THE EIGHT ARMY FOUGHT ITS WAY OUT OF THE PUSAN PERIMETER.. PYONGYANG WAS CAPTURED IN OCTOBER BUT... BST VITELLO WAS STILL GETTING FLAK FROM THE BRASS!
SGT. VITELLO, DIDN'T YOU READ MY ORDERS ABOUT FRATERNIZING WITH CIVILIANS? THIS COULD COST YOU THOSE SERGEANT STRIPES!
THERE'S NO WAY THEY'D EVER GET ME TO TAKE A COMMISSION!
I'D LOVE TO KNOCK THAT SNEER OFF HIS FACE!
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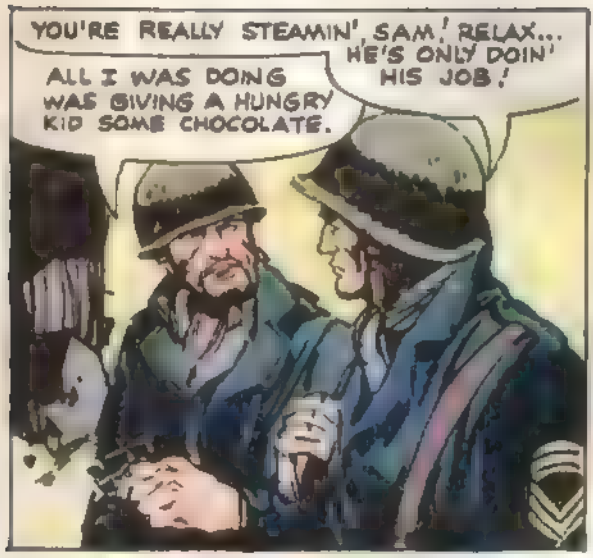
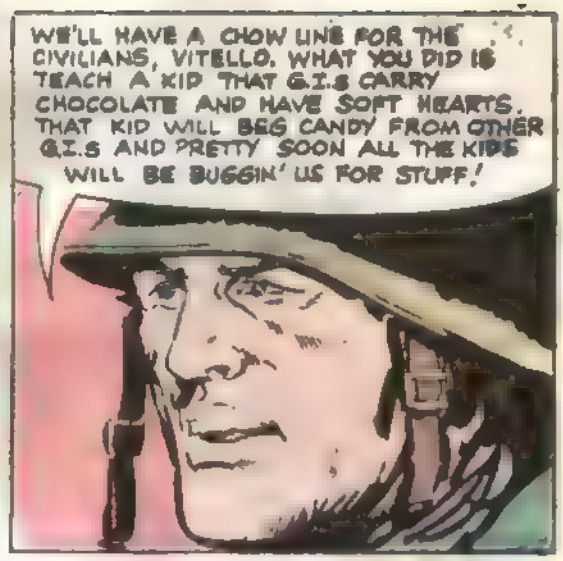
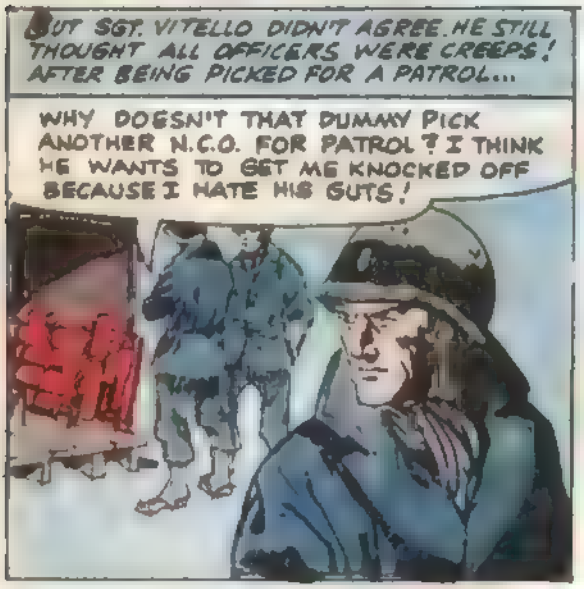
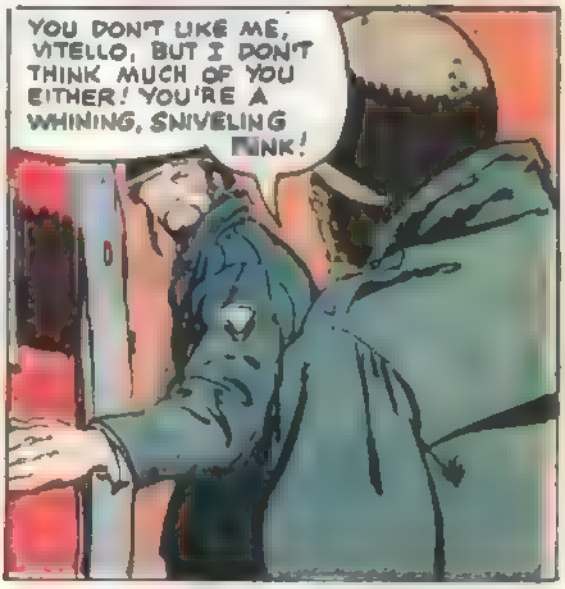




WE'LL HAVE A CHOW LINE FOR THE CIVILIANS, VITELLO. WHAT YOU DID IS TEACH A KID THAT G.I.S CARRY CHOCOLATE AND HAVE SOFT HEARTS. THAT KID WILL BEG CANDY FROM OTHER G.I.S AND PRETTY SOON ALL THE KIDS WILL BE BUGGIN' US FOR STUFF!


BUT SGT. VITELLO DIDN'T AGREE. HE STILL THOUGHT ALL OFFICERS WERE CREEPS! AFTER BEING PICKED FOR A PATROL...
WHY DOESN'T THAT DUMMY PICK ANOTHER N.C.O. FOR PATROL? I THINK HE WANTS TO GET ME KNOCKED OFF BECAUSE I HATE HIS GUTS!



SGT. VITELLO CONTROLLED HIS TEMPER. HE LED THREE MEN ON A PATROL, MOVING QUIETLY, COMING AT THE NORTH KOREANS ON THEIR LEFT.
THEY'RE ATTACKING OUR PLATOON!
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LOB A FEW GRENADES AT THEM FIRST!
SOMEONE'S BEHIND THE COMMIES... THAT'S M-1 FIRE... IT MUST BE VITELLO!
MEDIC... THE LIEUTENANT'S HIT!
NICE GOING, SOLDIER... THE COMMIES ALMOST OVER-RAN US!
SGT PAYSON WAS HURT. LT. KANE DEAD. SGT. VITELLO CHECKED AROUND. SGT. KOSSINSKY WAS THE SENIOR N.C.O. TO SURVIVE THE ATTACK BUT...
SNAP OUT OF IT, KOSSINSKY. YOU GOTTA TAKE OVER TILL THEY SEND UP A NEW PLATOON LEADER. GET US HOT CHOW, MORE AMMO...
LEMME ALONE VITELLO!
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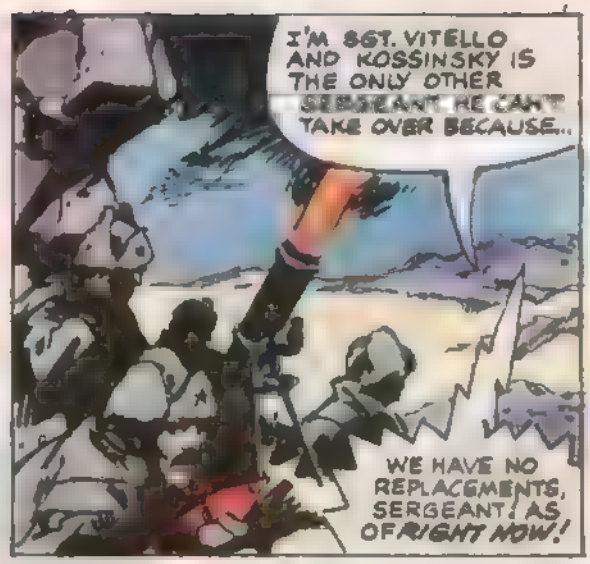
SGT. VITELLO FOUND LT. KANE'S W/T RADIO AND CALLED BACK FOR HOT CHOW, AMMO AND MORE GRENADES...
..AND SEND REPLACEMENTS. ESPECIALLY A PLATOON LEADER AND SOME GOOD N.C.O.s!


I'M SGT. VITELLO AND KOSSINSKY IS THE ONLY OTHER SERGEANT. HE CAN'T TAKE OVER BECAUSE..
WE HAVE NO REPLACEMENTS, SERGEANT! AS OF RIGHT NOW!

...YOU ARE SECOND LIEUTENANT VITELLO, THE THIRD PLATOON LEADER. WE'LL SEND THE FOOD, AMMO AND REPLACEMENTS FOR YOUR CASUALTIES!
ARE YOU NUTS? I...

BT VITELLO KNEW WHAT HAD TO BE DONE! HE REGROUPED HIS MEN, HAD THEM EAT HOT FOOD IN RELAYS, AND ORDERED THEM TO CHANGE THEIR SOCKS...
VITELLO'S GONNA BE WORSE THAN KANE! HE'S BEEN ON OUR BACK SINCE HE GOT MADE LIEUTENANT!
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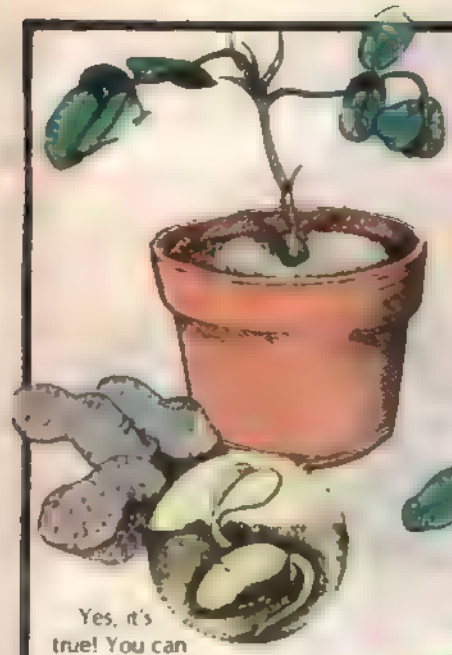

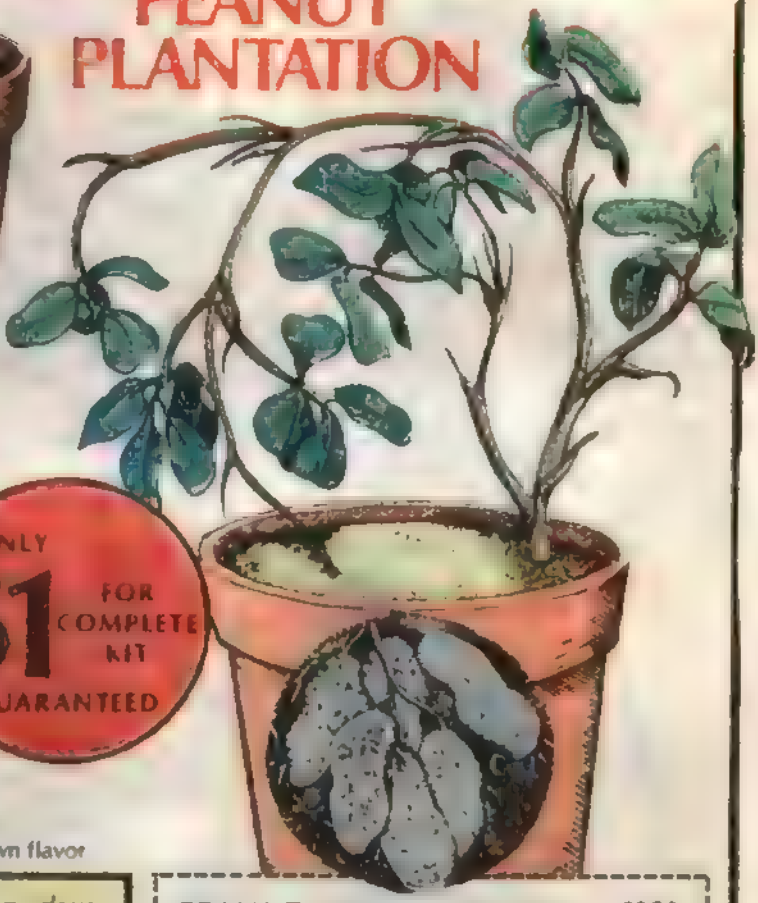

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A GUY I USETA KNOW SAID IT RIGHT...
...ALL OFFICERS ARE CREEPS! THIS GUY WAS OKAY WHEN HE WAS A BUCK SERGEANT!
SAM VITELLO QUICKLY LEARNED HE COULDN'T BE BUDDIES WITH HIS PLATOON! HE COULDN'T LET THEM GOOF OFF... IF HE DID, SOME OF THEM WOULD DIE UNNECESSARILY!
THAT FOXHOLE'S NOT DEEP ENOUGH, DAVIS. IF THE COMMIES ATTACK YOU'LL BE A CASUALTY FOR SURE!
CLEAN THIS RIFLE, MAYNARD, THEN OIL IT!
I'M HALF FROZEN!
YOU COULD BE COLD AS DEATH BY MORNING IF IT MISFIRES WHEN YOU NEED IT MOST!
THE RUSSIAN-BUILT T34 TANKS LED THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK AT DAWN!
COMMIES COMIN'!

GET THE COMMIES, GUNNER! I'LL GO FOR THE TANK!
CHUUNNG
BARUUM
DAVIS, GO AROUND AND CHECK THE AMMO! I DON'T GIVE A HOOT IF YOU WANT TO OR NOT, JUST DO IT!
OK, LIEUTENANT. UH... YA DID PRETTY GOOD WITH THAT BAZOOKA, YA KNOW!
I GUESS THIS IS THE ONLY WAY... I'LL DO MY JOB AND MAKE SURE THEY DO THEIRS... THEY'LL THINK I'M A HEEL... I CAN'T HELP THAT.
END

# Hold until Relieved

"Hit it! That's incoming mail," screamed a frantic G.I. as he made a perfect, headfirst dive into a foxhole. Sergeant Steiger and a hodgepodge of noncoms and G.I.'s followed the example set for them by the diving champion.

They ate dirt and weren't particular where they buried their noses or who they bunked with! When mail from the enemy was being delivered, you made like a mole or got planted! It was better to be dirty than dead!

The enemy plastered the hill with artillery fire. Shells fell out of the night sky like a downpour of explosive, lead, raindrops. The Germans were trying to make a mole hill out of mountain, and they were coming darn close to achieving that goal. The slope looked like a slice of Swiss cheese. Smoking craters dotted the incline like a contagious pox that was out of control and spreading fast. It was a miracle that any of the Americans were still alive after the barrage lifted.

When the shooting stopped, it was hard to believe that a war was going on. The moon was out. The stars were shining. The sky was clear. Looking up made a guy wonder if he was really at an observation post at the front.

All it took to snap out of the mesmerization was a glance earthward. The war was still there! It was there, baby, and it stared a guy right in the face!

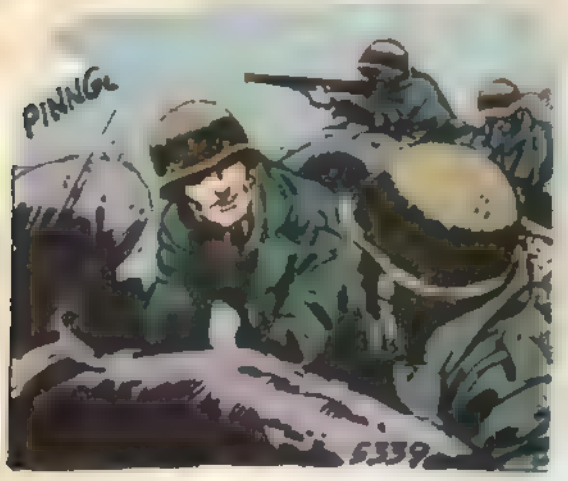
"Excuse me for saying this, Sir, but why don't we get the sam hill out of here?" asked Sergeant Steiger as he tilted back the front of his iron pot and peeked out of the foxhole.

The Captain spit out a hand full of dirt and dust before he answered. It was a commanding officer's job to make up good reasons for getting killed when it was easier to run away and stay alive.

The place where they were dug in didn't amount to a hill of beans on the strategy map back at H.Q.; yet the G.I.'s stood there and got pounded day after day

without ever knowing what purpose they were serving. They were dying and they didn't know why! Staying put didn't make any sense!

"Steiger, you know darn well why we stay on this bloody ridge!" snapped the Captain. "Ask the lieutenant! He knows! He'll tell you why!"




The Sergeant leaned back in the hole to give the Captain a better look down into the ditch where he and the two officers were huddled. At the bottom of the hole, a baby-faced, ninety day wonder was stretched out cold and stiff. The lieutenant was staring up at the peaceful sky. He was home at last.

"I'm glad the lieutenant knows why we're defending a non-essential position," answered Steiger. "I hope his folks understand it when you explain it all to them. I still don't understand and the lieutenant isn't going to be able to enlighten me. He's dead!"

The Captain shook his head. He didn't really have a good answer to Steiger's question. There were no more excuses. The Captain had used them all. The only reason he had was the lousy reason that the Major had given him over the walkie - talkie - and it wasn't something worth dying for!

"The Brass told me that this hill is important. Our orders are to hold until we're relieved! That's all I know, Steiger. It stinks! I know it does, but it's the only reason I have. The orders are to hold until we're relieved," explained the Captain.

The Sergeant massaged his throbbing brow. He had a headache that never went away. Sometimes, it was less painful than other times, but it never really went away. The headache came from watching men die senselessly, uselessly, futilely!

"Forget it, Captain!" answered Steiger. "This daily plastering we're forced to take is getting to me. Every day two or three guys buy a one-way ticket home. I can't figure out what good it's doing. I can't get it straight in my head. Why are they dying?"

Steiger never got a reply to his question. The enemy artillery continued to dump their nightly quota of shells on the hill. When the second barrage lifted, Steiger's foxhole was empty except for smoking rubble and burning hot dirt. Steiger and the Captain had bought their tickets! They were on their way home. It was all over for them.

If they'd made it through the night, they would have realized that the hill was the jump off point for a secret counterattack. If they had made it, maybe they would have had the reason they were looking for. Maybe they would have had a reason for dying. Then again, maybe there is no good reason for dying.

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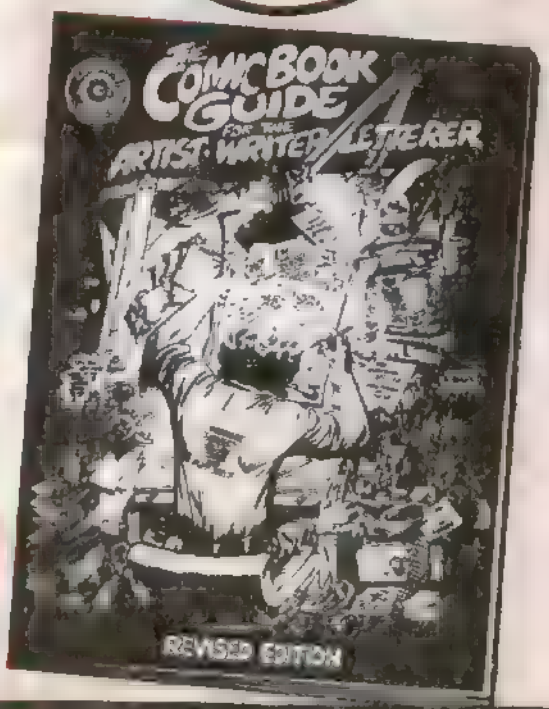


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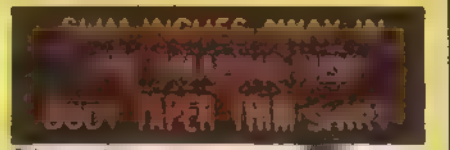

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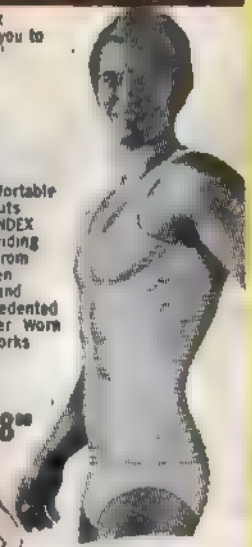

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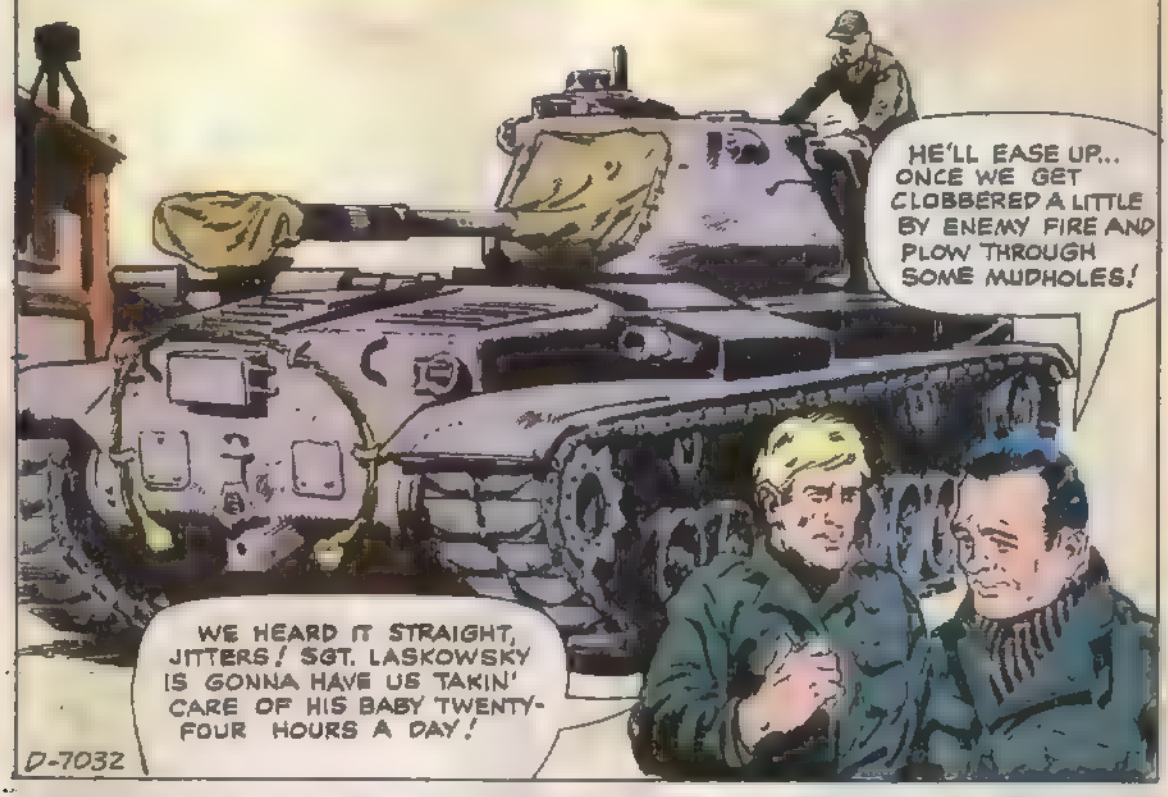
HE'LL EASE UP.. ONCE WE GET CLOBBERED A LITTLE BY ENEMY FIRE AND PLOW THROUGH SOME MUDHOLES!
WE HEARD IT STRAIGHT, JITTERS! SGT. LASKOWSKY IS GONNA HAVE US TAKIN' CARE OF HIS BABY TWENTY-FOUR HOURS A DAY!
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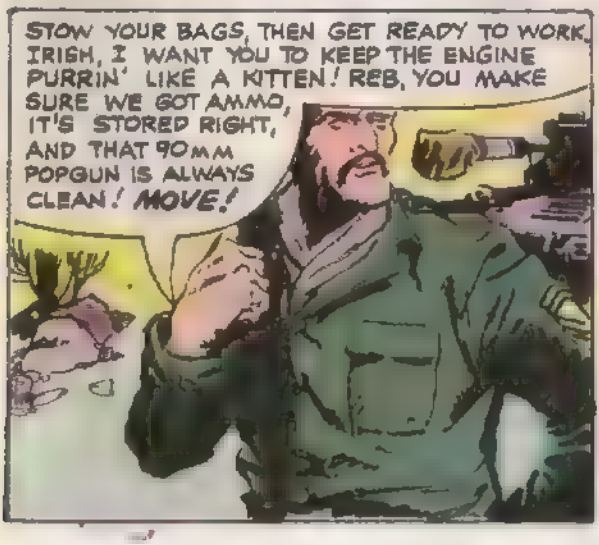
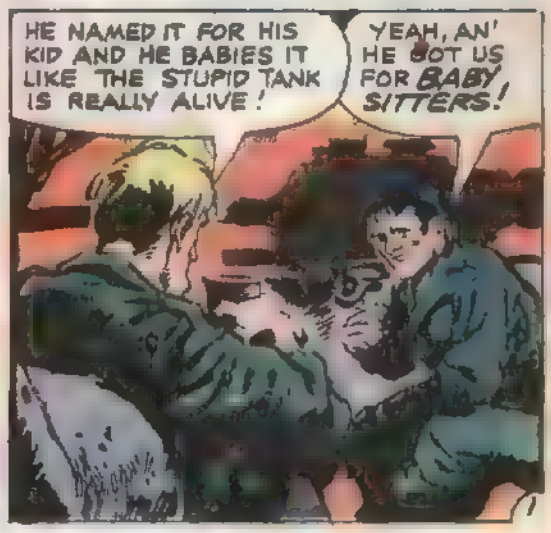
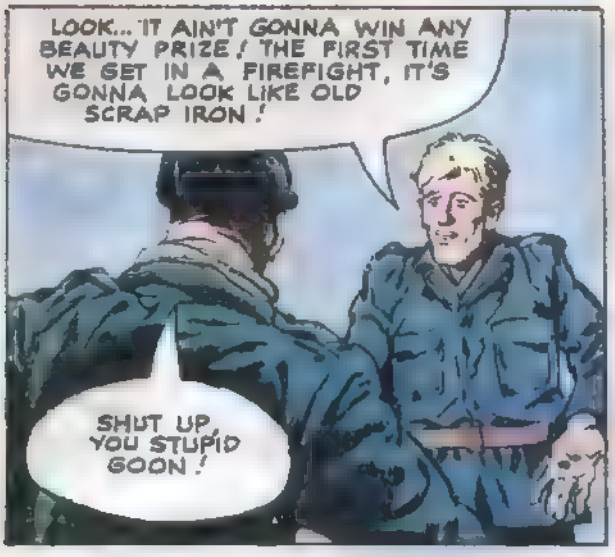
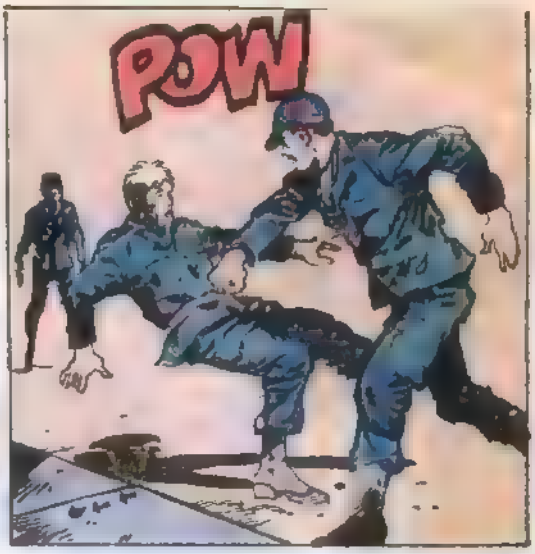

STOW YOUR BAGS, THEN GET READY TO WORK, IRISH, I WANT YOU TO KEEP THE ENGINE PURRIN' LIKE A KITTEN! REB, YOU MAKE SURE WE GOT AMMO, IT'S STORED RIGHT, AND THAT 90MM POPGUN IS ALWAYS CLEAN! MOVE!



THEY'D ALL GONE TO TANK SCHOOL. IRISH WAS THE MACHINIST WHO KEPT THE ENGINE RUNNING. PLUS THE TREADS, SMALL SERVO-MOTORS, ETC. JITTERS, THE GUNNER AND SECOND IN COMMAND, WAS AN ARMAMENT EXPERT... REB WAS THE JOCKEY WHO'D CARRY OUT T/SGT. LASKOWSKY'S ORDERS ON WHERE TO GO! BUT EACH MAN WAS TRAINED TO TAKE OVER ANOTHER JOB IF ONE OF THEM WAS HURT!
NICE SHOOTING, APACHE 3! NOW, WE'LL MAKE A RUN WITH SMALL-ARMS FIRE!
BUTTON UP APACHE 3 ...YOUR TARGET'S GOING TO RETURN YOUR FIRE!
.50 CAL M.G. RAKED THE HEAVY TANK! HEAVY SLUGS TRIPHAMMERED OFF THE THICK ARMOR AND T/SGT. LASKOWSKY CURSED UP A STORM!
SARGE'LL HAVE US UP ALL NIGHT TOUCHIN' UP WHERE THE PAINT GOT SCRATCHED!
IRISH WAS RIGHT. LATER ...
LOOK...THIS TANK WILL ALWAYS RUN GOOD AND LOOK GOOD!
SARGE, WE'RE OVER-DOIN' THIS! WE WON'T FIGHT ANY BETTER IF...


LOOK... IT AIN'T GONNA WIN ANY BEAUTY PRIZE! THE FIRST TIME WE GET IN A FIREFIGHT, IT'S GONNA LOOK LIKE OLD SCRAP IRON!
SHUT UP, YOU STUPID GOON!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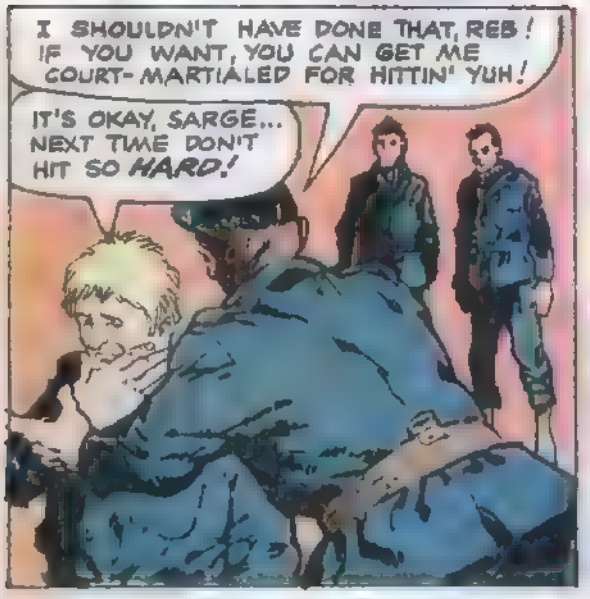
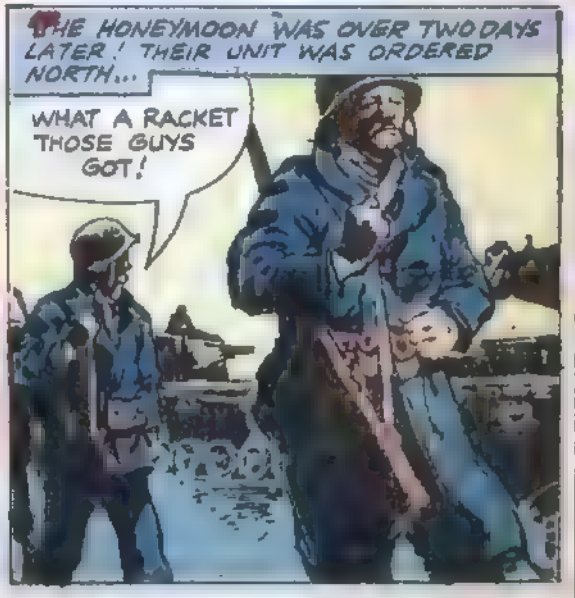
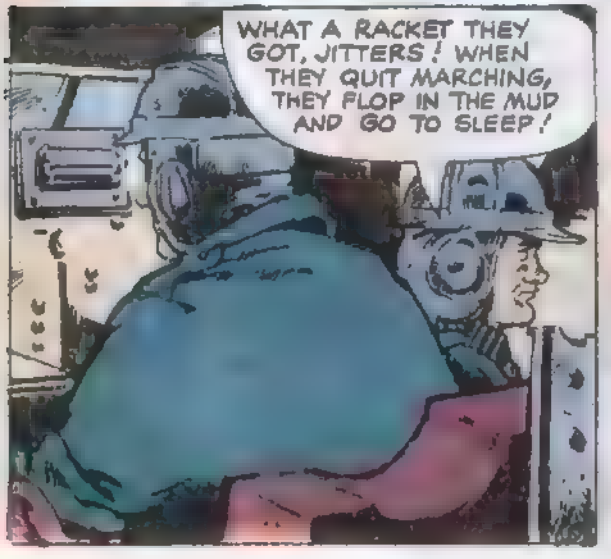

I SHOULDN'T HAVE DONE THAT, REB! IF YOU WANT, YOU CAN GET ME COURT-MARTIALED FOR HITTIN' YUH!
IT'S OKAY, SARGE... NEXT TIME DON'T HIT SO HARD!


THE HONEYMOON WAS OVER TWO DAYS LATER! THEIR UNIT WAS ORDERED NORTH...
WHAT A RACKET THOSE GUYS GOT!


WHAT A RACKET THEY GOT, JITTERS! WHEN THEY QUIT MARCHING, THEY FLOP IN THE MUD AND GO TO SLEEP!

YEAH... WE'LL HAVE TO WIPE THIS RUST-BUCKET DOWN AND CLEAN UP INSIDE, THEN...

LATER
A BUNCH OF RUSSIAN-BUILT T-34 TANKS ARE OVER THE RIDGE, SERGEANT.. WE'LL POSITION OURSELVES BELOW THE CREST BEFORE DAWN.
WHEN THE REDS COME OVER THE TOP, WE CLOBBER 'EM BEFORE THEY CAN USE THE CANNON ON US!
YEAH. A 90mm SHELL IN THE BOW FROM BENEATH WILL PUT 'EM OUTA BUSINESS!
AT 0300 HOURS, T/SGT. LASKOWSKY ROUSED THEM! THEY CHECKED THEIR AMMO FOR THE FIFTH TIME, CHECKED OIL, GAS AND WATER...
SEE, IRISH? WE'RE ALL SET TO GO AND THE OTHER TANK CREWS AIN'T EVEN AWAKE YET!
ALL APACHES FROM WAR CHIEF. POSITION THIRTY YARDS DOWNHILL FROM CREST. SPACE FIFTY YARDS APART.
I SAID SWING THE TURRET IN A 180 DEGREE ARC! COME ON, REB... TURN IT TO THE RIGHT!
IT WON'T TURN, SARGE!
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WAR CHIEF FROM APACHE 3. MALFUNCTION OF TURRET. WILL ATTEMPT TO REPAIR!
ROGER APACHE 3. MAKE IT FAST.
CHECK THE SERVO-MOTOR POWER! IF IT'S A FUSE...
IT'S GETTING JUICE, IRISH, TAKE MY WORD FOR IT!
THEY WERE CHECKING THE GEARS DRIVEN BY THE SERVO MOTOR WHEN THE OMINOUS SHADOW LOOMED ABOVE THE RIDGE! THE ENEMY!
WE GONNA GET IN AN' BUTTON UP, SARGE?
KEEP WORKIN', DUMMY!
KABOOO
BARROOM
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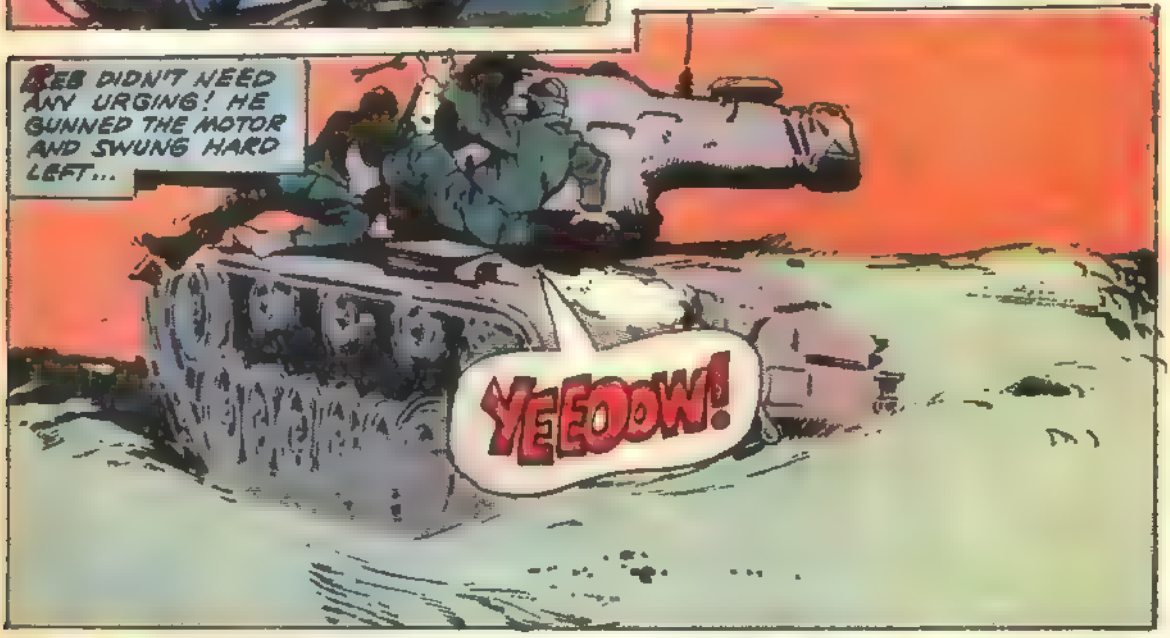

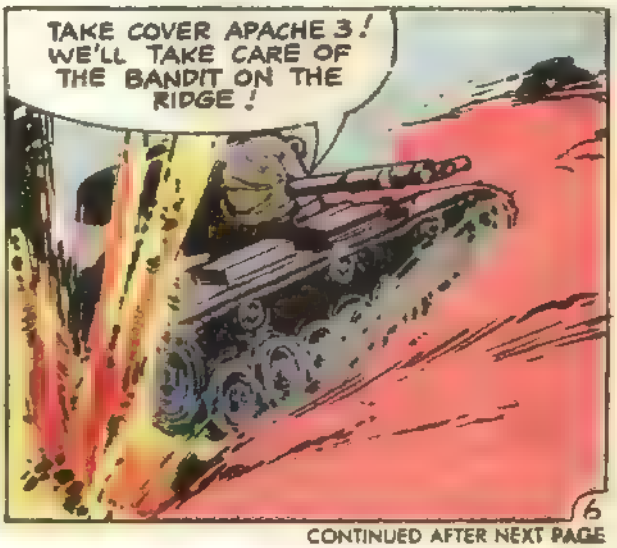




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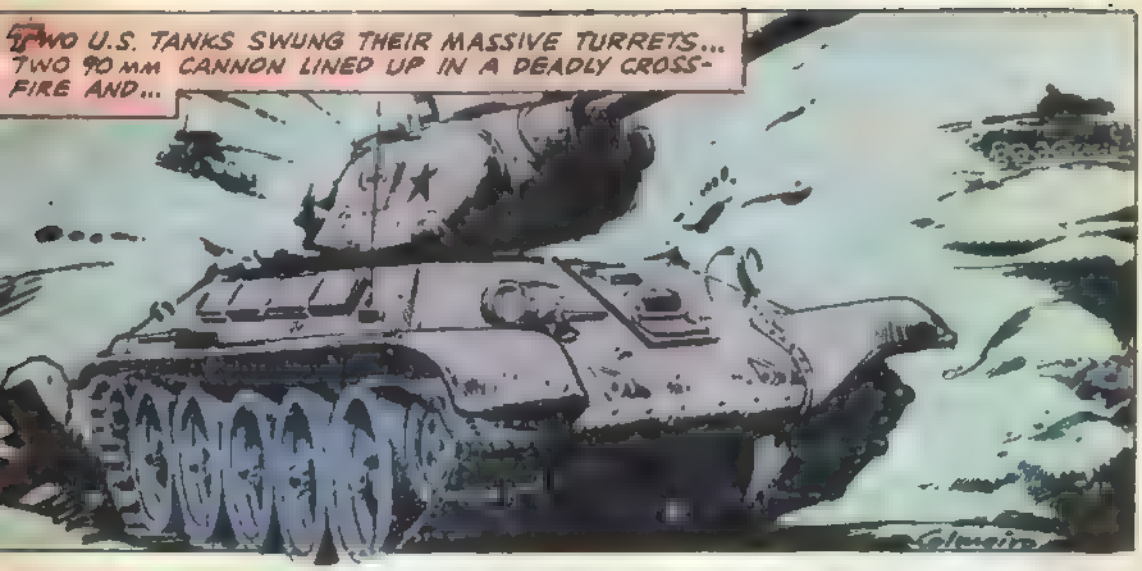
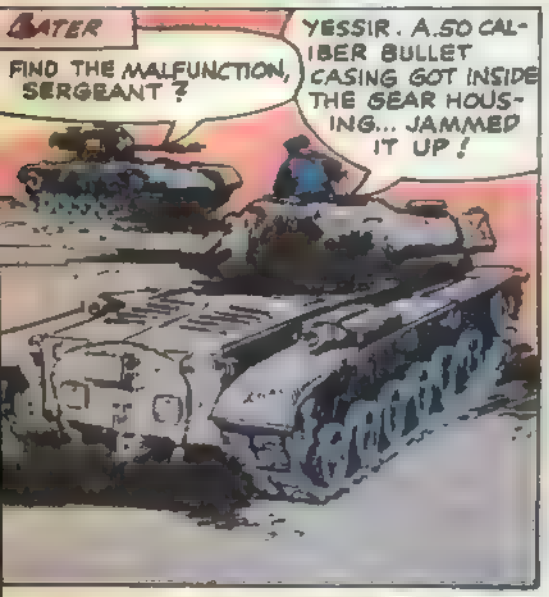
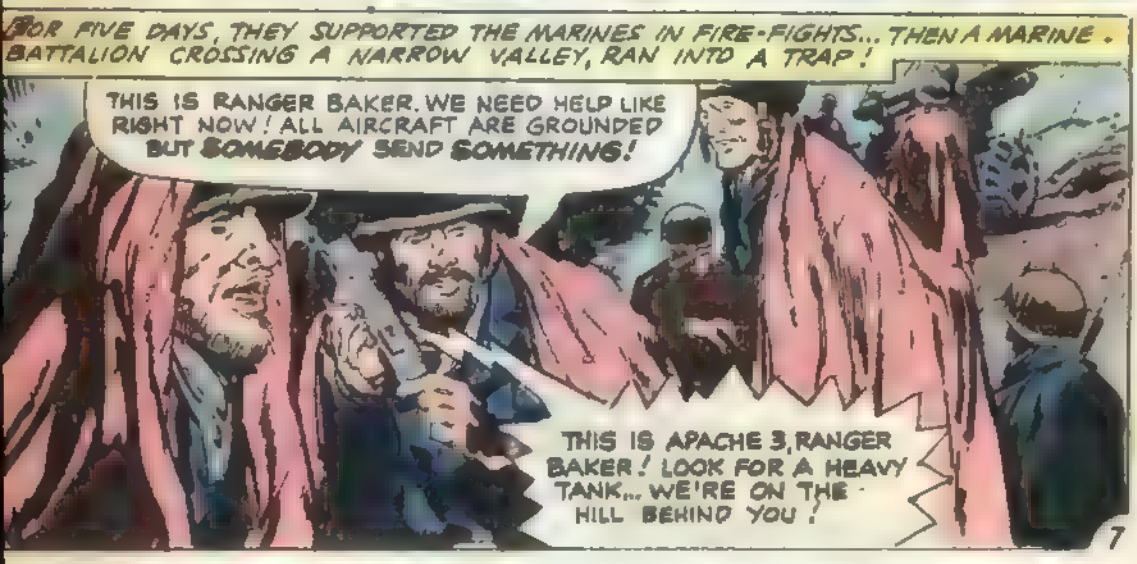
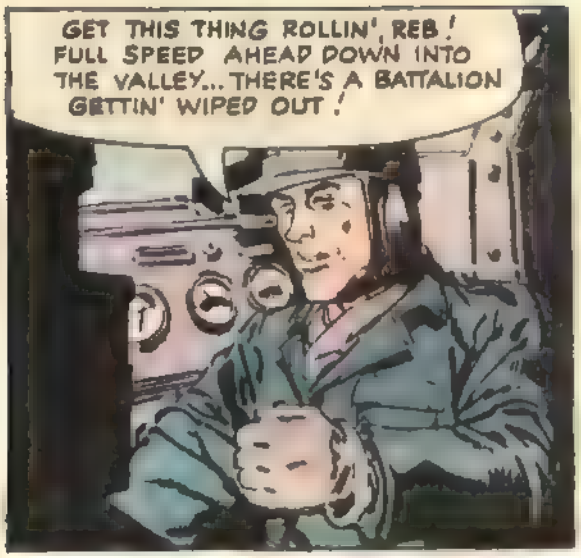
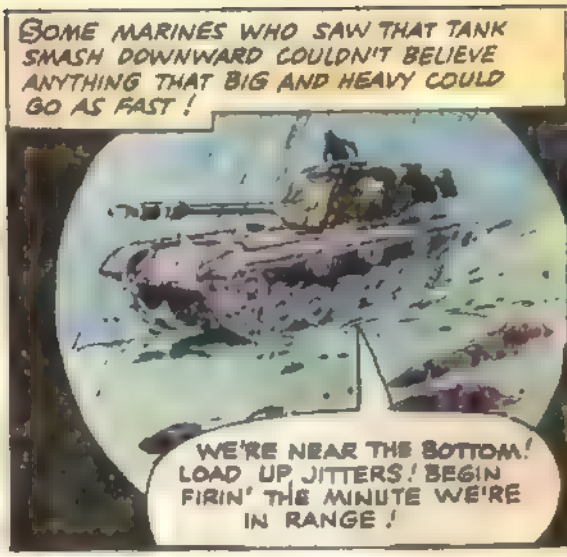

TWO U.S. TANKS SWUNG THEIR MASSIVE TURRETS... TWO 90 mm CANNON LINED UP IN A DEADLY CROSS-FIRE AND...

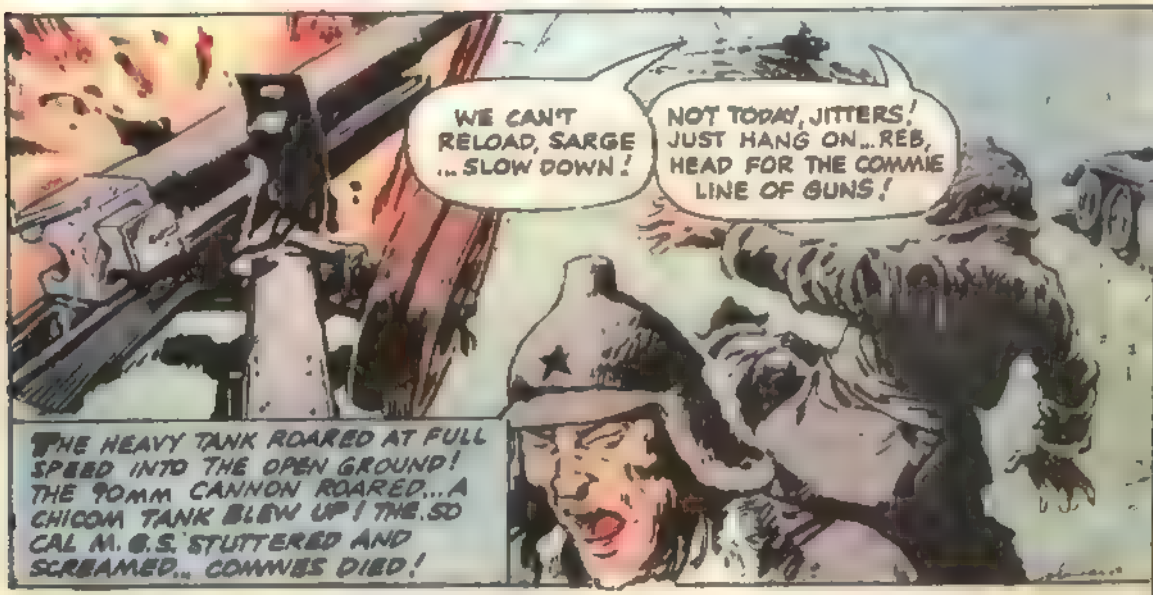

LATER
FIND THE MALFUNCTION, SERGEANT?
YESSIR. A.50 CALIBER BULLET CASING GOT INSIDE THE GEAR HOUSING... JAMMED IT UP!

WE TESTED OUR GUNS BEFORE WE HEADED UP THE RIDGE... THAT'S WHEN IT MUST'VE HAPPENED!
DROP OUT OF ONE MORE FIRE-FIGHT AND SOMEBODY ELSE WILL BE POLISHING UP LITTLE STOSH! GET THE MESSAGE!


FOR FIVE DAYS, THEY SUPPORTED THE MARINES IN FIRE-FIGHTS... THEN A MARINE BATTALION CROSSING A NARROW VALLEY, RAN INTO A TRAP!
THIS IS RANGER BAKER. WE NEED HELP LIKE RIGHT NOW! ALL AIRCRAFT ARE GROUNDED BUT SOMEBODY SEND SOMETHING!
THIS IS APACHE 3, RANGER BAKER! LOOK FOR A HEAVY TANK... WE'RE ON THE HILL BEHIND YOU!


GET THIS THING ROLLIN', REB! FULL SPEED AHEAD DOWN INTO THE VALLEY... THERE'S A BATTALION GETTIN' WIPED OUT!


SOME MARINES WHO SAW THAT TANK SMASH DOWNWARD COULDN'T BELIEVE ANYTHING THAT BIG AND HEAVY COULD GO AS FAST!
WE'RE NEAR THE BOTTOM! LOAD UP JITTERS! BEGIN FIRIN' THE MINUTE WE'RE IN RANGE!


WE CAN'T RELOAD, SARGE ... SLOW DOWN!
NOT TODAY, JITTERS! JUST HANG ON... REB, HEAD FOR THE COMMIE LINE OF GUNS!
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